

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 15-030

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CONCERNING CHANGES TO THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING DEADLINES FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS AND MEMORIALS IN THE HOUSE OF ORIGIN.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Seventieth General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the House of Representatives concurring herein:

That in the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, Joint Rule No. 23, **amend** (a) (1) and (g) (2) as follows:

23. Deadline Schedule

(a) (1) **Deadline schedule.** For the purposes of organizing the legislative session, the schedule for the enactment of legislation shall be as follows:

5 days prior Deadline for filing one of each member's three bills to 1st day requested prior to December 1 or December 15 pursuant to paragraph (2) of this subsection (a) and Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A) with the house of introduction for printing, distribution to Legislative Council staff for preparation of fiscal notes, and introduction on the 1st day.

1st day Deadline for the introduction of the bills required to be filed 5 days prior to the 1st day.

Deadline for introduction of any bills to increase the number of judges.

- 3rd day Deadline for introduction of the two remaining Senate bills requested prior to December 1 or December 15 pursuant to paragraph (2) of this subsection (a) and Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A).
- 7th day Deadline for introduction of the two remaining House bills requested prior to December 1 or December 15 pursuant to paragraph (2) of this subsection (a) and Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A).

Deadline for all remaining bill draft requests to the Office of Legislative Legal Services.

- 17th day Final deadline for introduction of Senate bills, except for supplemental appropriation bills recommended by the Joint Budget Committee and the long appropriation bill.
- 22nd day Final deadline for introduction of House bills, except for supplemental appropriations APPROPRIATION bills recommended by the Joint Budget Committee and the long appropriation bill.
- 27th day Deadline for introduction of supplemental appropriation bills recommended by the Joint Budget Committee.
- 30th day Deadline for House committees of reference, other than the House Appropriations Committee, to report House bills introduced on or before the 7th legislative day.
- 37th day Deadline for Senate committees of reference, other than the Senate Appropriations Committee, to report Senate bills.
- 44th day Deadline for House committees of reference, other than the

House Appropriations Committee, to report remaining House bills.

50th day Deadline for final passage of Senate bills in the Senate.*

Deadline for final passage of House bills in the House.*

- 59th day Deadline for final passage of any bill that increases the number of judges.
- 73rd day Deadline for committees of reference, other than the Appropriations Committees and the Legislative Council, to report bills originating in the other house.
- 76th day Deadline for introduction of the long appropriation bill in the house of origin which shall be the House of Representatives in even-numbered years and the Senate in odd-numbered years.
- 80th day Deadline for final passage of the long appropriation bill in the house of origin.
- 83rd day Deadline in even-numbered years for final passage in the Senate of all bills originating in the House of Representatives.*

Deadline in odd-numbered years for final passage in the House of Representatives of all bills originating in the Senate.*

 $87^{th}\ day$ Deadline to request resolutions and memorials.

Deadline for final passage of the long appropriation bill in the second house.

Deadline for committees of reference and the Appropriations Committee in house of introduction to report bills creating statutory committees with legislative members.

 90^{th} day Deadline to introduce resolutions and memorials.

Deadline in odd-numbered years for final passage in the Senate of all bills originating in the House of Representatives.*

Deadline in even-numbered years for final passage in the House of Representatives of all bills originating in the Senate.*

94th day Deadline for adoption of the conference committee report on the long appropriation bill.

Deadline for Appropriations Committee in house of introduction to report bills referred to Appropriations Committee.

Deadline for final passage in house of introduction of all bills creating statutory committees with legislative members.

97th day Deadline to request resolutions.

- 100th day Deadline to introduce resolutions and deadline to introduce bills unless otherwise authorized in accordance with subsection (h) of this rule.
- 101st day Deadline for final passage in house of introduction of all bills referred to Appropriations Committee in that house.

Deadline for committees of reference in second house to report bills creating statutory committees with legislative members referred to the Legislative Council in that house.

Deadline for final passage, including any conference committee report, for any bill prescribing all or a substantial portion of the total funding for public schools pursuant to the "Public School Finance Act of 1994", Article 54 of Title 22, Colorado Revised Statutes.

- 107th day Deadline for committees of reference in second house to report bills referred to the Appropriations Committee in that house.
- 108th day Deadline for Legislative Council to report all bills referred to it pursuant to section 2-3-301 (5), Colorado Revised Statutes.
- 111th day Deadline for Appropriations Committee in second house to report bills referred to Appropriations Committee.

- 114th day Deadline for final passage in second house of all bills referred to Appropriations Committee in that house.
- 118th day If there has been adjournment to a day certain, reconvene for adjournment sine die unless the joint resolution for adjournment to a day certain specifies another day for reconvening.
- * All bills in the Appropriations Committee in either house and all bills in the Legislative Council acting as a committee of reference in the second house on the day of the asterisked final passage deadline are excluded from the final passage deadline and from other deadlines specified in this Joint Rule until the deadlines for passing bills in the Appropriations Committee or passing bills in the Legislative Council. The majority leader in each house shall direct that a memo be prepared on the date of the asterisked final passage deadline that lists all of the bills to which this exclusion applies. A copy of the memo shall be attached to each bill listed in the memo and a copy shall be sent to each of the bill's sponsors. At the discretion of the respective majority leaders, the list may include any bills that have been referred out of the Appropriations Committee during the seven legislative days preceding the asterisked final passage deadline. In addition, bills in the Appropriations Committee in either house on the day of a separate final passage deadline as specified by the Committee on Delayed Bills for that house are also excluded from the specified final passage deadline unless otherwise indicated in the delayed bill form.
- (g) (2) A member of the General Assembly may not introduce a concurrent resolution, joint resolution, joint memorial, resolution, or memorial during the last twenty THIRTY legislative days of any regular or special session unless permission to introduce the resolution or memorial is given by the committee on delayed bills of the house in which the resolution or memorial is to be introduced. This provision shall not apply to a joint resolution or resolution pertaining to the close of the session or to the conduct of legislative business. In the case of a special session, the last twenty THIRTY legislative days shall be determined by the deadline for adjournment established by the executive committee of

legislative council or by joint rule of the Senate and the House of Representatives, if any such deadline is established.

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